

## General Assembly

## Amendment

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Offered by:

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To: Subst. House Bill No. **5054** 

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## "AN ACT MAKING MINOR AND TECHNICAL CHANGES TO DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION STATUTES."

- After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:
- "Sec. 501. Subsection (f) of section 20-314 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 6 (f) (1) All licenses issued under the provisions of this chapter shall 7 expire annually. At the time of application for a real estate broker's 8 license, there shall be paid to the commission, for each individual 9 applicant and for each proposed active member or officer of a firm, 10 partnership, association or corporation, the sum of five hundred sixty-11 five dollars, and for the annual renewal thereof, the sum of three 12 hundred seventy-five dollars and for a real estate salesperson's license 13 two hundred eighty-five dollars and for the annual renewal thereof the 14 sum of two hundred eighty-five dollars. Three dollars of each such 15 annual renewal fee shall be payable to the Real Estate Guaranty Fund

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established pursuant to section 20-324a. If a license is not issued, the fee shall be returned. A real estate broker's license issued to any partnership, association or corporation shall entitle the individual designated in the application, as provided in section 20-312, upon compliance with the terms of this chapter, but without the payment of any further fee, to perform all of the acts of a real estate broker under this chapter on behalf of such partnership, association or corporation. Any license which expires and is not renewed pursuant to this subsection may be reinstated by the commission, if, not later than two years after the date of expiration, the former licensee pays to the commission for each real estate broker's license the sum of three hundred seventy-five dollars and for each real estate salesperson's license the sum of two hundred eighty-five dollars for each year or fraction thereof from the date of expiration of the previous license to the date of payment for reinstatement, except that any licensee whose license expired after such licensee entered military service shall be reinstated without payment of any fee if an application for reinstatement is filed with the commission within two years after the date of expiration. Any such reinstated license shall expire on the next succeeding April thirtieth.

(2) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection, with advice and assistance from the commission, shall, not later than January 1, 2013, adopt regulations, in accordance with chapter 54, providing for the waiver of expired real estate broker's and real estate salesperson's license reinstatement penalties and late fees for reasons of health and financial hardship. Such regulations shall define health conditions and financial hardships that qualify a license applicant for a waiver of such reinstatement penalties and late fees."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following		
sections:		
Sec. 501	from passage	20-314(f)

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